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SENATOR MARVEL: Excuse me just a moment. May we have order in the House, please.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman.

SENATOR MARVEL: The Chair recognizes Senator Chambers. May we please have order.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Since I am not, primarily, addressing the members of the Legislature but the record, they can talk or whatever they want to do because it is one of those matters where I doubt that there is much interest. There will probably be even less understanding. So mine is strictly for the record. Senator Luedtke, I would like you to discuss a provision with me if you will. And, Mr. Chairman, could it be a situation where like if he has a comment and I don't mind, we could just go back and forth instead of me always asking him to yield and that would be in interest of time.

SENATOR MARVEL: It is all right with me. I will give you five minutes to start with and see how that works out. All right, Senator Luedtke, are you agreeable to...okay, go ahead.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Luedtke, do you mean you don't want to answer a question.

SENATOR LUEDTKE: The term is, you ask the questions and I will see if I will answer them.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman, I am not going to play a game. I don't have comments, I don't have any questions to address to Senator Luedtke but I will say this to the body. It is his bill and I would like to ask Senator Barnett a question, if he will yield.

SENATOR MARVEL: Senator Barnett, do you yield?

SENATOR BARNETT: Yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Barnett, when you were telling the people who participated in the gathering together of this which we call a bill, was there a law firm or a group of individuals who were paid money and hired to do this?

SENATOR BARNETT: If you would, it would probably be true if it was the bunch of attorneys that was with the Carter Association, I am sure.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Now this Carter that is continually referred to, was this the Carter that sat on the State Supreme Court bench at one time?

SENATOR BARNETT: Yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Senator Barnett. I am not going to ask Senator Barnett this question. I am going to make this statement about things that were being discussed at the time this provision was coming out. Judge Carter was off the bench and he needed a job. So they got together a group to put together this bill. Never would I push for a bill and say that it has so much

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